



City's Water Shortage Contingency Plan – Stage III

- 35% reduction in all customers use from 2013
- 40% reduction in commercial irrigation use from 2013
- No watering between 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
- No watering within 48 hours after measurable rainfall
- No watering more than 2 days per week
- No excessive landscape runoff
- No washing a vehicle, trailer, boat without a shutoff nozzle
- No washing paved or hardscape surfaces
- No water use for non-recirculating fountains
- No watering new home construction landscape except by drip or microspray
- No watering ornamental turf on public street medians
- No serving drinking water except upon request in eating or drinking establishments
- No hotels/motels daily laundering of towels/linens unless requested by a guest



[SaveWater Home Page](#) | [City Home Page](#) | [Contact Us](#)

Mandatory Water Conservation

Water consumption reduction and usage restrictions.

In response to the drought, the City of Brentwood has declared a Water Shortage Emergency. We must reduce our use now! It is no longer voluntary—it's mandatory.

Your Efforts Make A Difference

The City is urging the community to continue reducing water use.

Following the Governor's mandate to cut water consumption dramatically, the City created a **Water Conservation Program** and adopted an **Urgency Ordinance** to make water conservation a top priority in Brentwood. **To comply with the program, you must reduce your water use by 35%** or maintain usage at or below the 2013 citywide household average.

2013 Citywide Reduced Average

Average Brentwood residential monthly potable water use 2013

11,000 gallons per month May-October

5,000 gallons per month November- April

Average Brentwood non-residential monthly potable water use 2013

32,000 gallons per month May-October

24,000 gallons per month November-April

[Find your 2013 Usage](#)

[Learn how to read your meter](#)

[Water Use Calculator](#)

We Can Do It—And We Must

The City adopted a Resolution at the April 28, 2015 Council meeting in response to the Governor's 2015 Executive Order and the subsequent State Water Resource Control Board (SWRCB) drought regulations. The Resolution **requires a 35 percent potable water use reduction from the amounts used in 2013** from its water service customers, implements Stage III of the City's Water Shortage Contingency Plan and prohibits certain activities in the promotion of water conservation. See "City's Water Shortage Contingency Plan—Stage III" at left, for specific regulations.